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REPLY TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

In reply to the Examiner's Action mailed in the above-captioned case on June 5, 2001, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

In the Claims:

Cancel claim 9, without prejudice.

Amend claims 10 and 15 as follows.

10. (Twice Amended) A method of treating human immunodeficiency virus infection, which comprises collecting target cells from human subjects, infecting the cells